

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
No. 53, Queen's Road East,
(OPPOSITE THE COMMISSARIAT),
ARE NOW LANDING
FROM AMERICA.

CALIFORNIA
CRACKER
COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb
tins, and loose.
Soda BISCUITS.
Assorted BISCUITS.

Small ROMNEY.
Cracked WHEAT.
OATMEAL.
CORNMEAL.

TOPOCAN BUTTER.
Apple BUTTER.
Eastern and California CHEESE.
COTTAGE, Brie, and Swiss.
Prima HAMS and BACON.
Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.
Family BEEF in 25 lb kags.
Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.
Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.
Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage
MEAT.
Stuffed PEPPERS.
Assorted SOUPS.
Richardson & Robbins' Celebrated Potted
MEATS.

Lund HAM.
Lamb's TONGUES.
Clam CHOWDER.
Fresh OREGON SALMON.
Dried APPLES.
TOMATOES.
SUCROTASH.
Maple SYRUP.
Golden SYRUP.
LOBSTERS.
OYSTERS.
HONEY.
Assorted JELLIES.
Green CORN.

FAIRBANKS' SCALES.
400 lb. Capacity.
600 lb. " "
900 lb. " "
1,200 lb. " "

CORN BROOMS.
OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS.
AXES and HATCHETS.

AGATE IRON WARE.
WAFLE IRONS.
SMOOTHING IRONS.

PAINTS and OILS.
TALLOW and TAR.
VARNISHES.

DEVOE'S NONPAREIL
BRILLIANT
KEROSENE OIL,
150° test.

Ex late Arrivals from
ENGLAND.
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
S T O R E S,
including:
CHRISTMAS CAKES.
PLUM PUDDINGS.
MINCEMAST.
ALMONDS and RAISINS.

Crystallized FRUITS.
TENNISMAN'S DESSERT FRUITS.
Pudding RAISINS.
Lente CURRANTS.

Fine YORK HAMS.
PICNIC TONGUES.
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.
SAVORY PATES.

SPARTAN
COOKING STOVES.

TOHCOCK HOUSE LAMP.
PERFECTION STUDENT LAMP.

CLARETS.
CHATEAU MARGAUX.
CHATEAU LA TOUR, pils and quarts.
BRES. GRAVES.
BREAKFAST CLARET, " "
SHERRIES & PORT.
SACCOFF'S MANZANILLA & AMON-
TILLADO.
SACCOFF'S OLD INVALID PORT
(1848).
HUNT'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.
1 and 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.
BISQUIT DUBOIS & Co.'s BRANDY.
FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY.
KIDMAN'S LL WHISKY.
ROYAL GLENDE WHISKY.
BOON'S OLD TOM.
E. & J. BURKE'S IRISH WHISKY.
ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.
NOBLE FRUIT & CO.'S VERMOUTH.
GRABER'S GINGER BRANDY.
EASTERN CIDER.
CHARTREUSE.
MARASCHINO.
ORANGEADE.
ANGOSTURA, BOTTLED and ORANGE
&c., &c., &c.

BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and
SANDERSON, pils and quarts.
GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by D. &
J. BREW, pils and quarts.
DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the
Gallon.
ALE and PORTER, in hogsheads.

SPICULY SELECTED
CIGARS.

Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in
5 catty boxes.
BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

MILNER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF
BOXES, OASH and PAPER
BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.
Hongkong, December 1, 1883. 1043

Mails.

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,
ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,
MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR,
BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,
PLYMOUTH AND LONDON;
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills
of Lading for BATAVIA, PERISIAN
GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES,
TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK
AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
GANGES, Captain W. B. ANDREWS, with
Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched
from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY
and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the
4th March, at 4 p.m.
Cargo will be received on board until
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.
Parcels and Goods (Gold) at the Office
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.
Silk and Valuable Goods for Europe will be
transhipped at Colombo, Penang and
General Cargo for London will be conveyed
on Bombay without transhipping, arriving
one week later than by the ordinary direct
route via Colombo.

For further Particulars, regarding
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the
PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVI-
GATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The *Collected and Value of Packages* are
required to be declared prior to shipment.
Shippers are particularly requested to
note the terms and conditions of the Com-
pany's Black Bills of Lading.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pass-
engers for MANILA.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.
Hongkong, February 21, 1884. 332

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF
TOKIO will be despatched for San
Francisco, calling at Yokohama and Hon-
olulu, on MONDAY, the 3rd March, at
3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight, for
Japan, the United States, and Europe.
Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
Indian Cities of the United States, via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America, by the Company's and
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Passengers—Passengers, who
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San
Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)
within six months, will be allowed a discount
of 20% on Return Fare; if re-embarking
within one year, an allowance of 10% will
be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Re-
turn Passage Orders, available for one year,
will be issued at a Discount of 25% on
Return Fare. These allowances do not apply
to through fares from China and Japan to
Europe.

Freight will be received on board until 4
p.m. on the 2nd March. Parcel Packages
will be received at the office until 5 p.m.,
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

Charterers' Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo should be sent to the Company's
Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the
Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

E. FOSTER,
Agent.
Hongkong, February 21, 1884. 330

WASHINGTON BOOKS.
(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use
of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now
be had at this Office—Price, \$1 each.
CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. FEB. 25, 1884.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	For- ward.	Reverse.	Work- ing.	Lost De- bit.	Closing Quota- tions, Cash.
BANKS.							
H.K. and Shanghai Bank.	90,000	125	125	3,108,336	52,502.02	22	100% = \$325
INSURANCES.							
Nat. China Ins. Co.	5,000	2	2	50	...	...	11,150 p. sh.
Yongtong Ins. Co.	8,000	2	2	50,000	...	...	18% = \$1,040
Union Ins. Co.	2,000	1,250	125	500,000	576,391.06	13,291	\$600
China Traders' Ins.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Insurance Co.	24,000	63.53	25	600,000	107,111.63	227	\$75
Canton Ins. Office	10,000	25	25	...	...	...	\$103
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500	1,000	200	100,375	...	...	\$500
Nat. Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
H.K. Fire Ins.	8,000	250	50	861,000	250,732.50	520	\$875
China Fire Ins.	30,000	100	2	600,000	105,366.40	23.6	...
SEEDS & PANIES.							
H.K. C. and M.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Steamboat Co.	8,000	100	70	215,000	53,691.80	6	\$115 ex div.
Indo-China S.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nat. Co.	120,000	10	10	...	...	...	20% dis.
China & Manila S.S. Coy.	3,500	\$100	all	...	...	...	...
MYSTIC LOTS.							
H.K. & Whelpa	10,000	125	125	\$18,000	2,083.0	4%	51 7/8 p.m. = \$188
H.K. and China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ga Co.	5,000	10	10	7,758.4	1,144.18	0	\$84 p. share
Huang Hotel	2,000	100	100	30,000	...	...	\$150
China S.S. Co.	9,000	100	100	...	5,055.58	...	\$120
H.K. Ice Co.	1,250	100	100	15,250	687.06	12	\$165
H.K. Bakery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Luzon Sugar Co.	7,000	50	50	4,000	253.45	5	\$85
Perak Tin Mining & Smelting Co.	...	...	...	...	4,000.00	...	\$94
Selangore Tin Mining Co.	3,000	50	all	...	...	...	\$210
Shanghai Co.	2,500	100	all	...	...	...	\$450
LOANS.							
Chi. Imp.	1874	6,275	2	100	all	...	...
" "	1877	6,040	2	100	all	...	...
" "	1878	3,890	TL	500	all	...	...
" "	1881	8,560	TL	500	all	...	...
Sugar Debon- tures, 1880...	600	500	all	8%	June & Dec.	2	2% prem.

* For 6 months to 30th June.—Dividend for 1882 and Bonus of 25 per cent.—To 30th April 1883.—For 1 year 1881.—For half year ended 30th June, 1883.

EDWARD GEORGE, Share Broker.

Insurance.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 160

NOTICE.
**QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-
PANY.**

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Goods on a 1/2 per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 938

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

**THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-
PANY, LIMITED.**

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, at current rates.

ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.
Hongkong, November 5, 1883. 853

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF
His Majesty King George The First,
A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.
Policies at current rates, payable either here in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.
Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.

Life Department.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 496

To-day's Advertisements.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED

FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND
SOURABAYA, VIA SAIGON
AND PONTIANAK.

The Co.'s Steamship
"Peking,"
Capt. H. J. H. TRIP,
will be despatched for Batavia, on the 26th inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 343

FOR SHANGHAI
The Steamship
"Peking,"
Capt. H. J. H. TRIP,
will be despatched for Shanghai, on the 26th inst., at 4 p.m.

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Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 344

NOTICE.—**LEONG SHAU SHAN**, re-
siding at No. 22, Hollywood Road,
at Victoria, Hongkong, BROKER, having
been adjudged BANCROTT under a Petition
for adjudication filed in the Supreme Court
of Hongkong, on the 4th day of March, 1884,
the following ATTORNEYS for the Use of
H. M. NAVY for the year 1884-85, viz:—

DISCUSS, FRESH MILK,
SOFT ICE CREAM, RAISINS,
FRESH EGGS, RICE,
" VEGETABLES, SUGAR,
" POTATOES, TEA,
AND WATER.

Printed Forms of Tenders and further
Particulars can be obtained at the NAVAL
SECRETARY'S Office.

The right to reject the lowest or any
Tender is reserved.

W. H. LOBE,
Secretary.
H. M. Victualling Yard,
Hongkong, 25th February, 1884. 342

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VICTORIA LODGE, No. 1026.
THE BRETHREN ARE INVITED to
assemble at **MASONIC HALL** TO-MOR-
ROW, the 26th instant, at 3.45 p.m., to
attend the Funeral of late Brother P. A.
DA COSTA, M.M., Penvenance Lodge,
1160.
By Command of the W.M.,
A. O'D. GOURDIN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 348

THE BRETHREN ARE INVITED to
assemble at **FUTURAMA'S HALL**, at
3.45 p.m. TO-MORROW (26th), to attend
the Funeral of the late Brother P. A. DA
COSTA, of Penvenance Lodge.

By Command,
J. KEATING, R.W.M.
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 330

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO
STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

MR. THOMAS ARNOLD will act as
SECRETARY of the above Company
until further Notice.

E. P. BELILIOS,
Chairman.
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 346

FOR HOIHOW AND PAKHOL
The Steamship
"Peking,"
Capt. H. J. H. TRIP, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on WEDNESDAY, 27th instant, at
Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 345

SEALED TENDERS for the SUPPLY
of about 150 Tons best Quality CAR-
DIFF COALS will be received at the
PORTUGUESE CONSULATE, Hongkong, up to
11 a.m. on THURSDAY, the 28th instant,
the Coals to be delivered into the Bunkers
of the Transport Office.

Portuguese Consulate,
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 349

NAVAL CONTRACTS, 1884-85.

SEALED TENDERS, in Duplicate, will
be received by the Undersigned, until
 Noon, on THURSDAY, the 6th Proximo,
from Persons desirous of SUPPLYING
the following ARTICLES for the Use of
H. M. NAVY for the year 1884-85, viz:—

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POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:—

For BANGKOK.—
Per *Tachow*, at 7.30 a.m., on Tuesday,
the 26th inst.

For SAIGON, PONTIANAK, BATAVIA,
SAMARANG, and SOURABAYA.—
Per *Cometa*, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday,
the 26th inst.

For SHANGHAI.—
Per *Peking*, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the
26th inst.

For STRAITS and BOMBAY.—
Per *Sunatra*, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednes-
day, the 27th inst.

For STRAITS, COLOMBO, and BOM-
BAY.—
Per *Pandora*, at 0.30 p.m., on Thursday,
the 28th inst.

For NAGASAKI and KOBE.—
Per *Kanamaru Maru*, at 3.30 p.m., on
Friday, the 29th inst.

For NAGASAKI, HIOGO, and YOKO-
HAMA.—
Per *Kashgar*, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday,
the 28th inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.—
The French Contract Packet *Saghalien*
will be despatched on TUESDAY,
the 26th February, with Mails for the
United Kingdom, Europe, and places
beyond *Aden* to Saigon, Straits
Settlements, Batavia, Borneo, Ceylon,
the Australian Colonies, Pondicherry,
Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius,
Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing
the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.—
The British Contract Packet *Ganges*
will be despatched on TUESDAY, the
26th March, with Mails for the United
Kingdom, Europe, and countries be

